

3066. Misbranding of cancer treatment. U. S. v. 1 Vial * * *. (F. D. C. No. 28525. Sample No. 14967-K.)

LIBEL FILED: January 13, 1950, Northern District of Indiana.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: Transported on or about December 4, 1949, by Dr. Eric P. Nauman, from the Hett Cancer Treatment and Research Foundation, Windsor, Ontario, Canada.

PRODUCT: 1 4-dram unlabeled vial containing a drug purporting to be a *cancer treatment* at Fort Wayne, Ind.

NATURE OF CHARGE: Misbranding, Section 502 (b) (1), the article failed to bear a label containing the name and place of business of the manufacturer, packer, or distributor; Section 502 (b) (2), it failed to bear a label containing an accurate statement of the quantity of the contents; Sections 502 (e) (1) and (2), the label of the article failed to bear the common or usual name of the article, or the common or usual name of each active ingredient thereof; and, Section 502 (f) (1), the labeling of the article failed to bear adequate directions for use for the conditions for which the article was intended.

DISPOSITION: February 21, 1950. Default decree of condemnation. The court ordered that the product be delivered to the Food and Drug Administration.

DRUGS ACTIONABLE BECAUSE OF CONTAMINATION WITH FILTH

3067. Adulteration of sulfadiazine tablets. U. S. v. 3 Drums * * *. (F. D. C. No. 28253. Sample No. 11579-K.)

LIBEL FILED: October 31, 1949, District of New Jersey.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about September 19, 1949, by the Biddle Sawyer Corp., from New York, N. Y.

PRODUCT: 3 drums containing 538,000 *sulfadiazine tablets* at Jersey City, N. J.

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 501 (a) (1), the article consisted in whole or in part of a filthy substance by reason of the presence of insect fragments, wood splinters, paint fragments, plant fibers, glass fragments, soot, and nondescript dirt particles.

DISPOSITION: March 6, 1950. The Biddle Sawyer Corp., claimant, having admitted the allegations of the libel, judgment of condemnation was entered and the court ordered that the product be released under bond for salvaging, under the supervision of the Federal Security Agency. It was provided in the decree that the product should be salvaged by crushing the tablets and putting the crushed material through a chemical process which would extract the therapeutically valuable ingredient, sulfadiazine, from the contamination charged in the libel. The extracted sulfadiazine then was to be purified, so that it would comply with all requirements for sulfadiazine set forth in the U. S. Pharmacopoeia.

3068. Adulteration of B & S Syrup. U. S. v. 552 Bottles * * *. (F. D. C. No. 28407. Sample No. 33142-K.)

LIBEL FILED: December 2, 1949, District of Hawaii.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about November 3, 1949, from San Francisco, Calif. The product was shipped by the Boericke & Runyon Co., Inc., of San Francisco, Calif.

PRODUCT: 552 1-ounce bottles of *B & S Syrup* at Hilo, T. H.